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In the Matter of Silo Filling
When They Meet Here
Next Saturday.

Next Saturday at 1:30 p. m. the subject of "Filling the Silo" will be discussed here by a number of experienced farmers and the county agent. No farmer who has a silo to fill this fall can afford to miss this meeting. Quite a little silage was lost last year and in almost every instance this loss was due to improper filling of the silo. The fair association has set apart

Wednesday, September 13, as Farmers' day and it is greatly desired that a good attendance of farmers may be had. A hall has been provided for which will be known as agricultural hall, and the county superintendent of schools and the county agent have been designated as superintendents. In order to make this hall attractive they desire to decorate it with all kinds of grain, vegetables, etc. Farmers will confer a great favor upon the managers of this department by bringing in not later than Tuesday at noon samples of their farm products. Let each farmer try to bring something and then there will be a good supply. The county agent may be found during the fair in the agricultural hall where farmers may see him on business and where they may obtain bulletins on various subjects.

Dr. DeARMOND, S.T.

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SKETCHES OF LITTLE
OLD NEW YORK
BY O. O. McINTYRE

Telegram Bureau: Rooms 121-122 Hotel Majestic, West Seventy-second Street.

NEW YORK, Sept. 7.—When the story had finished, the five of us looked away into space. There was nothing to say and a Broadway cafe is no place for tears. It was the life tragedy of Gene Hodgkins, known to Broadway as a dancer but known to his intimates as one of God's noblemen. A few short weeks ago they buried Hodgkins in Louisville, a stricken, heart wounded and demented hulk of a man.

The story was told by his best friend—a friend who had stood by him in London and in Paris and in New York. It wasn't a friend who had loaned him money for no one could do that. It was the one to whom Hodgkins came when it seemed that all the world had turned. He wasn't whining but he didn't want to be all alone with his memories.

Gene Hodgkins came from a fine southern family. He studied medicine but he loved music more and so he wrote music—not the twaddle of the rastime world. It is sometime hard to write good music and live and so he danced in vaudeville but he loathed the calling.

In London he met her. She was well known to the rich boudoirs. He married her and they danced together all over Europe and when the war broke out they came to Broadway. She had an irascible temper and he was tolerant. Finally she went back to Europe.

Gene Hodgkins danced on, his feet light and his heart heavy. Every night after the tiresome grind of his

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The Masonic Cemetery

is becoming more beautiful and more interesting every day. Several very handsome granite memorials have been added during the present summer, enhancing its interest. Among the more notable are those of Mr. E. L. Rogers, Mr. Robert L. Swiger and Mr. R. B. Willison. These were manufactured and erected by the F. C. McColm Granite Company, of Huntington, W. Va. Mr. C. L. Cottrell, of Mannington is the firm's local representative.

The same firm has under construction, three more to be erected yet this fall in "Masonic," viz., one for Mrs. J. M. Garrett, one for Mrs. Harriett Pickett, and one for Mr. W. D. Newlon.

It is said that Masonic Cemetery contains as high class memorials as are found in the cemetery of cities several times larger than Clarksburg.—Advertisement.

act he would rush to the stage door and shade his eyes to look out into the darkness. He knew she would come. He spent a fortune for cables that were unanswered. And then black thoughts, like parols, opened in his head. Once he hurled himself out of a window, another time he cut his throat. But he lived on. Then one day in St. Louis he wired his manager: "Father has sent for me. I am going home." The slender cord had snapped. Gene Hodgkins was bereft of reason. He did go home and there he sickened and passed on.

In the party of five was S. J. Kaufman, the writer. Said he: "Gene Hodgkins was the squarrest fellow I ever knew." And S. J. Kaufman has known men all over the world.

There is a man in New York who knows all the intricacies of the tariff question. He has made it a study for many years and has all the facts and figures at his finger tips. His name is Edward Henry Clift and he is the prime mover in the tariff league.

A group of business men were lunching at the Waldorf. Tariff discussion crowded all other weighty questions out of the conversation and Mr. Clift who had been an earnest listener was drawn into the talk. And then the others sat back and listened.

He began to juggle figures like a Washington census shark and he lined up his facts so well that he fairly carried his auditors off their feet. In his party was a man from Chicago. After Mr. Clift had left, he mopped his forehead and exploded: "Gee! That man knows more about tariff than Carter knows about pills."

When young Bill Johnstone, the artist, wrote the lyrics for a play not long ago he went up to Stamford, Ct., to see the first act and the leading man couldn't wink his eye for a winking song that was the hit of the show. When the star came to the part where he was supposed to wink he put his hand up to his eye and gave an imitation wink with his fingers.

"What is that fellow trying to do?" asked Johnstone to the stage director. "He is winking his eye" was the reply.

"Well he'll wink no more of his new fangled winking in my perfectly good show" said Johnstone and what is more he didn't. They got a regular winker and he winked for three nights and then the show winked out and they put it on ice.

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NOTICE

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By order of the president.
J. I. ALEXANDER, Sec'y.

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